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For: CONTAINER-MANAGED METHOD SUPPORT FOR

CONTAINER-MANAGED ENTITY BEANS

ASSIGNEE NAME: International Business Machines Corporation

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Enclosed a

19 Pages of Specification and 1 Abstract

3 Sheets of Drawings

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An Assignment of the invention to International Business Machines Corporation, Armonk, New York 10504 and Recordation form PTO-1595

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